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INSTALLATION: New Airfield Under Construction BRIEF NO.: JB-7-58
LOCATION: Apatity, Kola Peninsula, USSR DATE: 31 March 1958
B. E. NUMBER: None LAT.: 67°28'N
WAC NUMBER: 91 LONG.: 33°35'E

REFERENCE:

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REMARKS:

A new airfield in an early stage of construction is located approximately 8 nm southeast of Apatity, or 34 nm northeast of Kandalaksha. Clearings indicate that the runway will be oriented NW /SE and will be approximately 5,000 feet long and 350 feet wide. A possible extension on the northwest end would increase the length to 6,500 to 7,000 feet.

Grading operations were in progress on a small portion of the runway and on a taxiway to the north. A small construction camp is located north of the airfield, and an all-weather road provides access to the area from Apatity.

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